

IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES.

---

FEBRUARY 27, 1891.—Ordered to be printed.

---

Mr. PADDOCK, from the Committee on Pensions, submitted the following

REPORT:

[To accompany H. R. 5924.]

The Committee on Pensions, to whom was referred the bill (H. R. 5924) granting a pension to Drusilla A. Sherwood, late a nurse in the United States hospital at Keokuk, Iowa, have examined the same and report:

After examining this case the committee adopts the report of the House committee hereto attached.

---

HOUSE REPORT.

The Committee on Invalid Pensions, to whom was referred the bill (H. R. 5924) granting a pension to Drusilla A. Sherwood, submit the following report:

The beneficiary of this bill was a nurse at the general hospital at Keokuk, Iowa, from January 9, 1863, to May 22, 1863, and during the time of such service discharged her duties in a satisfactory manner. She is now of that age that she can not longer support herself by her labor and is greatly in need of assistance.

Your committee regard this case as coming within the policy of Congress in respect of this class of nurses, and therefore recommend that the bill be amended by striking out the word "twenty," in line 6, and inserting "twelve," and that, so amended, it pass.

